Anti-Sign Movement in Maryland.

Hagerstown, Md., will have no more signs"on the street, after that day recently when \$5,000 worth of them were consigned to the woodpile. The removal of signs is in compliance with a recent ordinance passed by the City Council, and includes all kinds. Several merchants will test the legality of the ordinance, and a strong protest will be made by the merchants against it.-Baltimore News.

Notes From the Paris Exposition.

"The Singer Manufacturing Company, of 149 Broadway, New York, show their usual American enterprise by having a very creditable exhibit located in Group XIII., Class 79, at the Paris International Exposition, where they show to great advantage the celebrated Singer Sewing-Machine which is used in every country on the globe. both for family use and for manufacturing purposes. The writer was highly pleased with this display and observed with much satisfaction that it was favorably commented upon by visitors generally.

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TRUSTS AND THE LAW.

HANNA HAS LET THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG.

His Ridiculous Effort to Explain an Unfortunate Campaign Utterance - No Trusts "in the Meaning of the Law"-Why Griggs Cannot Find Any.

Mark Hanna has demonstrated an ability equal to that of Roosevelt in putting his foot further into a mess when attempting to explain an unfortunate campaign utterance. When the rough-riding orator tried to explain the meaning of his declaration that "all Democrats are cowards" he made a bad matter worse, and now comes Hanna with an amendment to his Chicago pronunciamento that "there are no trusts in this country," which puts his party in a hole from which it will not be likely to extract itself even by the most desperate clawing.

Hanna "explains" the naive declaration that what he said was not "there are no trusts," but that "there are no trusts in the meaning of the law." The difference between these two assertions is evidently very great to the astute mind of Mr. Hanna, but to the average citizen they mean about the same thing, except that the amended statement is much stronger and more significant than the one which it seeks to excuse. The plain English of it is that Hanna has let the cat out of the bag. True is it, indeed, that there "are no trusts in the meaning of the law"-that is of the law as defined and executed by the Republican party.

If any one disputes Hanna he can call to his support as witness Attorney-General Griggs. This functionary will swear till he is blue in the face that there is no such thing as a trust under his interpretation of the law. Despite the fact that his home State of New Jersey is the wholesale incubator of trusts this man Griggs cannot see one. He knows that there is an anti-trust law on the statute books, a law which the Supreme Court declares is fully competent to provide a remedy for trust evils. Griggs knows the law, but he is trust blind. "In the meaning of the law" to him there are no trusts, And this is just where the trouble is. As long as Griggs is Attorney-General-and he or some man equally blind will be Attorney-General as long as McKinleyism is maintained at Washington-there will be no trusts 'in the meaning of the law.'

Hanna's tongue is befuddling his brain. He says there are no trusts, and in the next breath makes the remarkable statement that "what antitrust laws have been enacted have been enacted by the Republicans." Why, if there are no trusts? If Hanna is not choked into silence he will be the best Bryan orator on the stump, for he is so steeped in his own conceit and so porcinely belligerent that he tells the truth without knowing it.

The "Full-Dinner-Pail Argument,"

The American workingman who believes that the injunction is used to oppress labor is expected to dismiss all his fears in consideration of three meals a day. The man who regards the Constitution as a sacred instrument, not to be tinkered with by selfish politicians, is urged to surrender all his convictions for the gross delights of a full dinner-pail. The "sentimentalist" who dreams of equal rights, the brotherhood of man and free institutions, is to confess that he is an impostor if thereby he can be sure that his pantry will be well stocked. Heretofore orators have appealed to the reason of their hearers, to their convictions of what was right, but Senator Hanna bases his appeal upon the lowest conceivable considerations. The American voter, from his point of view, lives only to eat, not to think, Baltimore Sun.

One Point of Difference.

One point of difference between the letters of acceptance of President Mc-Kinley and Mr. Bryan is worthy of notice. Mr. Bryan says:

"If elected I shall appoint an Attorney-General who will, without fear or favor, enforce existing laws." He is discussing the trust question.

Mr. McKinley very wisely says nothing about his Attorney-General-the very clever gentleman who comes from the trust-breeding State of New Jersey, and who is eminent principally for his friendliness toward the great corporations and trusts.

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Bryan Counters on Hanna.

The Charleston Post (Dem.) says: "Colonel Bryan made a good point in answering Senator Hanna's diatribe against him. He declared that he would very gladly meet the Republican candidate for President, and if the National Committee would certify that Hanna was to be President in event of Republican success at the election, Bryan would be happy to debate with the Ohlo Senator. Now it is up to McKinley to take up the endgels in debate or for Hanna to declare that he keeps the conscience of the administration and so is qualified to meet Bryan."

Roosevelt Should Be Muzzled.

What do our colored friends think of Governor Roosevelt's latest charge of cowardice against the colored troops that fought at San Juan Hill? Colonel Roosevelt will not bring many colored votes to the Republican ticket by such speeches as that, the more especially when he has no foundation whatever for his assertion of cowardice. Before he gets through with his campaign he will have lots of explaining to do. No wonder Mark Hanna wants the rough rider muzzled.

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